The applications in this case should be addressed to the Amildar of the taluk concerned under the same conditions as above. He will receive the application and the amount of the bill and commission sent therewith and grant a receipt in the prescribed form and obtain the required supply bill from the District treasury concerned, and deliver it to the party on his surrendering the receipt originally granted.

5. Supply bills drawn on the District treasury will, as far as possible, be made payable at any Taluk treasury within the district. For payment at a Taluk treasury, however, unless other arrangements have been specially made in communication with the undersigned, the payee will have to address the Deputy Commissioner, Treasury Department, of the district concerned who will arrange for such payment as early as practicable.

From

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Offg. Comptroller, Mysore Government.

To

The Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Department, of all Districts.

No. Mily. 315-22, *dated 1st November* 1915.

The undersigned has the honor to authorise all District and Taluk Treasuries in the State to receive subscriptions for the Mysore Imperial Service Lancers War Fund and to credit the amounts so received under a new head to be opened in the treasury accounts under Debt heads immediately below that for the Indian Imperial Relief Fund.

2. For the convenience of subscribers and also to avoid numerous small payments into treasuries, responsible persons will be authorised by the Secretary to the Fund or by Deputy Commissioners on his behalf to receive subscriptions and pay them into the treasury. No one who has not obtained written permission from a competent authority should collect subscriptions. Authorised collectors will grant receipts to each subscriber in the special form prescribed for the purpose. Each collector will be supplied with a number of counterfoil receipt books by the Deputy Commissioner of his district on application. Both the foil and the counterfoil of the form should be carefully filled up. The grant of receipt on loose paper or any other form by collectors is strictly prohibited.

3. At the end of each month or whenever the collections exceed Rs. 50, the amount in hand should be sent to the treasury by the collector with a chellan. Special chellan forms in quadruplicate will be supplied to collectors for the purpose by Deputy Commissioners. The treasury should check the amount of the chellan with the amounts noted in the counterfoils of the receipt book covered by the chellan. It should also see that the treasury number of the chellan is correctly noted in the counterfoils and that in the chellan the numbers of the receipts covered by the chellan are noted.

4. In respect of payments tendered directly at District and Taluk Treasuries, the Treasury Officer will act as collector. He will give a receipt to the party in the prescribed form and transfer the collections to treasury balance at intervals in the manner indicated above.

5. A stock of counterfoil receipt books and quadruplicate chellan books is kept in the office of the undersigned and will be supplied on indent to Deputy Commissioners. A stock account of receipt books and chellan books should be kept in the office of Deputy Commissioners. Collectors should preserve the counterfoils of used up receipt books and chellan books to be returned when called for.

6. The treasury will, after crediting the amount in the accounts, send the quadruplicate copy of the chellan immediately by the day's post to the Honorary Secretary to the Fund. The triplicates will be collected and sent to the undersigned immediately after the close of the month with a schedule of receipts on behalf of the Fund. The duplicate copy will be filed in the treasury.

7. It is particularly requested that all delay either in despatching the chellan to the Honorary Secretary or the monthly accounts to the undersigned should be avoided.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Offg. Comptroller.

INSURANCE.

THE MYSORE STATE LIFE INSURANCE—FAMILY PENSION BRANCH.

Dated 15th October 1914.

As sanctioned in Government Order No. Fl. 4906—B. 33-09-6, dated 18th March 1911, a Family Pension Branch was started as an adjunct to the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme under separate Rules and has been in operation from August 1911. All employees

of the Government who are eligible for life insurance may secure substantial pensions to their parents, wife, children and certain other relations by paying additional monthly subscriptions. For example an employee whose present age is twenty-five years, may secure a life pension of Rs. 5 payable from the date of his death, to his wife whose present age is 18, by paying a monthly subscription of Rs. 1-7-9. Similarly a monthly pension of Rs. 5 payable from the date of death of the subscriber to the date on which his son attains his 21st year or his daughter attains her 18th year or marries, may be secured to a son or daughter whose present age is 5 years, by paying a monthly subscription of Re. 0-11-7.

As a concrete instance of the benefits of the fund, the following case may be mentioned. An officer joined the Family Pension Branch as a subscriber in August 1913, the monthly subscription payable by him being Rs. 17-10-10. He died in September 1914, having paid subscriptions to the extent of Rs. 230. The following pensions are payable to his nominees :—

Monthly. Mother Rs. 10, wife Rs. 20, both for life. Each of his 4 daughters Rs. 10, till they attain their 18th year or marry.

There are reasons to believe that the existence of this Branch of the State Life Insurance office and its benefits are not known to many Government employees. Every one interested is requested to obtain a copy of detailed rules by applying to the Secretary to the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee, Bangalore.

INSURANCE COMMITTEE.

COPY OF NOTICE.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore have been pleased to extend to non-official persons domiciled in the territories of Mysore, the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme, which was hitherto confined to the State officials. This new State Public Insurance Scheme provides for the issue to men and women of four kinds of policies namely :—

1. Whole Life Assurance.
2. Whole Life Assurance by limited payment.
3. Endowment Assurance.
4. Children's Endowment.

Persons who desire to avail themselves of the advantages of this Insurance Scheme are requested to send up proposals for Insurance. Copies of proposal forms are available at all the District and Taluk Treasuries, and the Office of the Secretary, State Life Insurance Committee, Bangalore, and will be supplied free on application. For further information regarding Rules and Rates, application should be made to the Secretary, Insurance Committee.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Secretary, Insurance Committee.

RULES REGARDING THE SPECIAL PROCEDURE FOR THE TRANSACTIONS BETWEEN THE POST OFFICES AND THE TREASURIES IN THE MYSORE STATE.

I.—EXTENT OF APPLICATION OF THESE RULES.

1. These rules apply to all transactions between post offices in Mysore and Mysore State Treasuries. They do not therefore apply to—

(*a*) Remittances between the Resident's Treasury at Bangalore and the Bangalore head office and any of its sub-offices authorised to have direct monetary transactions with the Resident's treasury, or to

(*b*) Remittances between the Mysore post office and the treasury at Coimbatore through the sub-post office and sub-treasury at Kollegal.

The Bangalore and Mysore post offices will therefore maintain a treasury pass book, etc., for these transactions under the rules laid down in the *Post Office Manual and Civil Account Code* as explained in the *Postal Account Code*, Volume I (provincial issue), quite apart from and in addition to the accounts prescribed in these rules.

N.B.—The district treasuries in Mysore render an account to the Resident's treasury monthly of all receipts from and payments to post offices ; and the Resident's treasury verifies the Mysore State Treasury account submitted by post offices with the accounts sent by district treasuries ; but as the submission of the statements by district treasuries does not take place until after the middle of the month following that to which it relates, the verification by the Resident's treasury officer cannot be made till the end of that month.